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## INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This submission is in response to the Office Action dated December 12, 2007. Please consider the following remarks with respect to patentability, and reconsider the application. Attached hereto are filing papers, a response, and a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time, providing for a timely response up to and including June 12, 2008. All related fees are to be charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account #16-2480.

There are no Amendments to the Claims at this time.

*Remarks* begin on page 2 of this paper.